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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW		Attorney Docket Number: 10517/16 PATENT	
Applicant(s) Seiji MIZUNO	Application No. 09/232,498	Filing Date January 15, 1999	
Patent Number	Issued	Examiner Mark RUTHKOSKY	Art Unit 1745
Invention Title SEPARATOR FOR FUEL CELL AND MANUFACTURING METHOD OF SAME		Assignee TOYOTA JIDOSHA KABUSHIKI KAISHA	

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Sir:

In compliance with M.P.E.P. 713.04, the Applicant provides this Statement of Substance of Interview concerning the interview conducted on June 29, 2004 with Examiner Ruthkosky.

- (A) Exhibits. No exhibit was shown or demonstration was conducted.
- (B) Claims. All
- (C) Prior art. All in general with regard to temperatures and carbonization.
- (D) Amendments. Proposed amendments reciting temperature ranges.
- (E) Principal arguments of Applicant. Recited temperature ranges distinguish over prior art.
- (F) Other matters. N/A
- (G) Results. No agreement reached.

Although not believed necessary, the Office is hereby authorized to charge any fees required or credit any overpayments relating to this communication to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

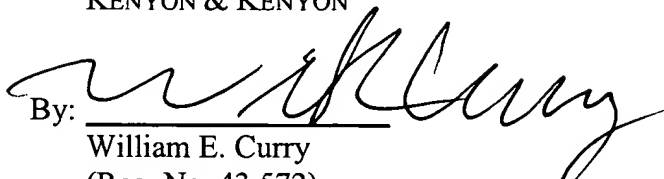
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The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 202-220-4323 to discuss any matter regarding this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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